

LOCAL NEWS.

Pretty ovals of various kinds and sizes also for sale at Robb's.

J. B. Roberts was down from Lake-wood a couple of days this week.

Oscar Thompson was in from his home on the Plains sixty miles east Tuesday.

Capt. E. P. Bujac left Tuesday morning for Washington to help boost for statehood.

Mr. G. W. Holloway from Lone Tree was in yesterday, for the first time in a month or more.

Charley Lyne residing ten miles this side of Monument was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

B. H. Schwerdtfeger, Rom Holt and J. C. Draper purchased each an auto while in Roswell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thayer were in from their ranch home in Dark Canyon for a couple of days this week.

Miss Mabel Bearup returned last week from a visit of a year and a half with her father's relatives in New York.

Sam Blocker who was stationed as forest ranger at Sargent Sipe has been transferred to the office force at Alamogordo.

W. H. Merchant, Dr. Irwin Bob Richards, Rom Holt and J. C. Draper were initiated into the mysteries of Elkdom at Roswell Tuesday night.

The citizens of Artesia have landed the Methodist College estimated cost \$250,000 and have contributed \$44,000 in property and cash to secure the location of the institution.

Ned Holloway who resides out near Lone Tree draw six miles east, has been very ill the past three weeks with an affection resembling sciatica but is some better at present.

Geo. W. Larremore county judge elect was busy moving into town from his farm west of Malaga this week and is about located at his residence in the northwest part of town.

Adamson the main witness in the Garrett murder case was arrested at Alamogordo on the charge of smuggling thirteen Chinamen into the country. Adamson is of unsavory reputation generally.

Walter McCall, one of the hands at work on the repairs of the McMillan dam was taken to Roswell before Judge Pope, Saturday Nov., 28, and being adjudged insane was taken by Sheriff Christopher to the asylum at Las Vegas.

Over 15,000 cattle were shipped from Carlsbad during 1908 and of this number S. T. Biting handled 7,500 the large portion of which went to Panhandle Texas, and Kansas pastures but many were sold later in Kansas City.

Mrs. S. B. Smith received a message Sunday announcing the death of her little grand son W. G. Campbell three months old son of Will Campbell and wife, at Mineral Wells, Texas, where they were visiting Will's parents. The remains were buried in Mineral Wells.

W. M. Mhoon for twenty years a resident near and in old Seven Rivers carried in town Tuesday and Wednesday en-route to Globe, Arizona, where his family is at present. He says Peter Corn who left here a year ago is doing well on his new ranch of 160 acres near Globe.

E. W. Waite, one of the most efficient and popular railway station agents ever to make Carlsbad their home, returned last Saturday after an absence of a couple of months in Oklahoma where he was employed by the Rock Island. At present he is employ of the Malaga Land & Improvement Co.

Elks' Memorial.

Last Sunday afternoon at three o'clock occurred the annual memorial service of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, at the opera house in Carlsbad. Though no lodge of the order is located at Carlsbad the members here consisting of brothers from various portions of the United States, residents of Carlsbad and several of them for several years, concluded to assemble and pay tribute to the departed Elks, (the first service of the kind at Carlsbad or perhaps in any other town not having a lodge of Elks) who have passed to the great beyond in Carlsbad. The program was very impressive and was opened by J. R. Linn who, in a very neat and appropriate address, stated the object of the Memorial meeting and the Rev. Hoffman made a very interesting address and was followed by Capt. W. C. Reid, of Roswell, himself an Elk and who gave a history of the order from its inception. Capt. Reid was followed by Capt. E. P. Bujac who delivered one of his characteristic orations that is only necessary to mention to say that it was interesting and well delivered. The program was interspersed with singing, first a solo by Mrs. Fessenden, "One Sweet Solemn Thought." Then a reading "Thanatopsis" by Miss Jennie Linn; "The Savior's Coming" by Mrs. Parr, then followed the address by Capt. Bujac and a solo by Mrs. C. M. Wicher "The Peace of God." A quartette composed of Mrs. Parr, Mrs. Fessenden, Messrs. Kendrick and Kruse rendered "Old Lang Syne" most excellently. Then came the benediction by Rev. Shive and the audience was dismissed. The decorations were something unique and consisted in the names of those departed Elks who once made Carlsbad their home, being inscribed on a tablet which was at the background illuminated with electric lights. They were Frank Moore, of Monroe, La., who resided here a short time, Geo. L. Newton and Dr. L. A. Brice. The motto "The faults of our brothers we write upon the sands, their virtues on tablets of love and memory" was on the programs and the mottoes of the order were inscribed on tablets on either side of the stage and are, "Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity." The stage decorations were the offering of J. R. Linn who is an enthusiastic Elk from Connorsville, Ind. but has made his home here for the past eight years. The following is list of the local members of the Elks:

Linn, Groves, Welch, Church, Dannelly, Holt, Doepp, L. S. Crawford, Finlay, Bolton, Swaine, Rev. Hoffman, Kruse, Webb, Stewart, Stoutmeyer, Schwerdtfeger, Wangler, Eskridge, Osborne, Fawns; Bob Richards, John C. Draper, Dr. Erwin, W. H. Merchant.

A beautiful framed picture is an ideal Christmas gift. A choice of one in Oil, Pastel, Water Colors or Sepias with a fine selection of appropriate frames to choose from is yours when you call at Robb's Studio.

J. L. Emerson and Mr. Cox, of Knowles came in this morning.

Consumption Statistics

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Notice.

The firm of Grantham & Dye, who have heretofore been engaged in the practice of law in Carlsbad, New Mexico, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and D. G. Grantham, of said firm, has moved his office one door north of said firm's former office. Judge J. M. Dye will occupy the office which was occupied by the partnership during its existence.

Both of said Attorneys desire to thank their clients for their liberal patronage.

GRANTHAM & DYE, Dec. 10 1908.

You have planned to frame that picture for so long. Why not do it now while Robbs have such a fine assortment of frames and mouldings to select from?

For Rent—The restaurant room east of First National Bank. Enquire at this office.

J. D. Walker, last week, sold his one-third interest in the Bank Saloon building, fixtures, stock and business to his partners Messrs. Jas. Simpson and John D. Cantrell, consideration for the one-third \$6,000 which puts the value of the building and lot alone at about \$12,000.

Ready-made frames in panels ovals, rectangles, all grades and sizes at very low prices at Robb's.

O. B. Sutherland and C. H. Billings, farmers from Malaga visited the county seat yesterday.

For Sale—Some fine Jersey cows and a few Jersey heifer calves. Enquire of B. T. Mallin opposite M. E. Church.

Not only are your photographs protected and preserved by framing but their attractiveness and beauty are greatly enhanced as well. Ask to see Robb's frames.

Last Friday evening Eddy Grove Camp, Woodmen of the World elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: A. R. O'Quinn, C. C.; C. O. Merrifield, A. L.; H. Chleote, Banker; J. B. Harvey, Clerk; Ed. Kirkpatrick, Escort; Matt Ohnemus, Watchman; Mac Locke, Sentry; E. V. Albritton and C. O. Merrifield, Managers. Refreshments were served after the camp closed and a general good time had. The camp will meet next Tuesday evening with the Woodmen's Circle and will install officers of both Camp and Circle after which a social with refreshments will be held.

Your photo will be a pleasing gift to any relative or friend. Besides you are certain of your present not being duplicated by the recipients other friends. Get Robb & Co. to make some for you.

J. N. S. Webb will be in Carlsbad December 17, 18 and 19, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Star Livery Barn with a very fine shipment of best acclimated nursery stock, absolutely fresh, home grown, nursery stock of all kinds of leading varieties of extras to sell cheap while he is delivering his original orders he has done sold. Everybody come and see this fine lot of trees that is sure to please you, and get what you ordered to be shipped and a lot of extras; or, if you did not order get a lot of extras any way while they are cheap. Bring your neighbors too. He will give you the best method of healing them out so as to keep in fine condition till you can set them just when you are ready and everything is just right. Then you will run no risk of the nurseryman getting them to you too late, or when it dont suit you to set and you will get the very best results. The nurseryman cant get everybody's trees to them just when it suits them best. He will take your order for February delivery, if you are not ready to receive them now. He guarantees satisfaction. See the trees any how.

Dave Blocker left this morning for Knowles where he will work at his trade for a few months.

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The Eddy County Hospital Association will have a mass meeting Dec. 28, at three p. m. at the City Hall. All members are requested to be present.
Mrs. Klauder, President.
Mrs. Barber, Secy. Pro Tem.

Notice of Sale of County Bonds.

Public notice is hereby given that the County of Eddy will sell \$24,500 in bridge bonds as follows, to wit: \$12,500 for the construction of a bridge across the Pecos River north of the section line running east of Artesia, New Mexico.

\$9,500 for the construction of a bridge across the Pecos River at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico at a point where the bridge destroyed by high water formerly stood and where Green street, in said town of Carlsbad, crosses the said Pecos River to what is known as the Hagerman Heights.

\$2,500 for the construction of a bridge across Black River at a point where the established public highway crosses said river in section 10, town ship 24 south, range 28 east.

Said bonds payable in the City of New York at some Banking House or Trust Company, hereafter to be designated, and shall become due in twenty years from the date thereof with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of January and July of each year in the City of New York where the principal is made payable and for which said interest on each bond shall have coupons attached. Said bonds to be dated January 1st 1909, and the first coupon on all such bonds shall be made payable on the first day of January, 1910, and thereafter on the first days of July and January of each succeeding year. The first of said coupons to be for one year's interest.

Said proposals will be received for the sale of said bonds at any time from this date until midnight on the 25th day of December, 1908.

The seal of the County of Eddy will have the right to reject any and all bids.
Such bonds not to be sold for less than par.
W. H. MERCHANT,
Treasurer, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received up to and including mid-day of the 25th day of December, 1908, for the building of three bridges for the County of Eddy, to be located as follows:

1st bridge located across the Pecos river north of the section line running east from Artesia, New Mexico.

2nd bridge located across the Pecos river at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico at the point where the bridge destroyed by high water formerly stood and where Green street, in said town of Carlsbad, crosses the said Pecos river to what is known as the Hagerman Heights.

3rd bridge located across Black river at a point where the established public highway crosses said river in section 10, Township 24 south, Range 28 East.

Such proposals shall be accompanied with complete plans and specifications of the same. The price to be charged therefor in the bonds of the county at par value or for cash shall not exceed for bridge No. 1 \$12,500, for bridge No. 2 \$9,500 and bridge No. 3 \$2,500.

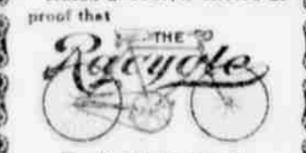
Such proposals shall be accompanied with the bond of undertaking with good and sufficient security of double the amount of the proposed cost of such bridge or bridges conditioned for the faithful execution of the work proposed and the carrying into effect of any contract made in reference thereto.

Bids will be received for the construction of said bridges collectively or separately as contractors may desire.

The County of Eddy reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
At Carlsbad this 26th day of November, 1908.

A. C. Heard,
Chairman,
J. W. Turknett,
N. W. Weaver,
Probate Clerk, Board, Co., Com.
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